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1. North Vietnam

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2. Panama

There are more angry words coming out of Panama on the treaty question. The main problem now is that President Robles' rush for quick ratification is not going over well with a number of pro-government politicians. Some of these influential people are saying that if Robles pushes too hard and too fast, the National Assembly will turn the treaty down.

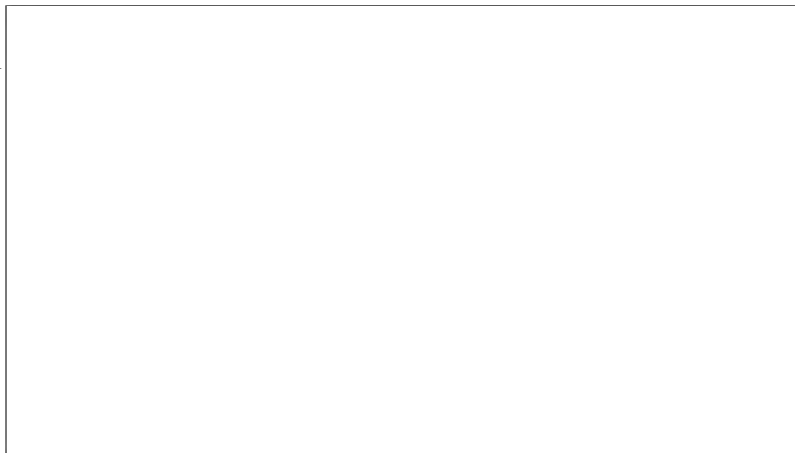
Because of the problems with the treaty, Robles has decided on a further postponement of his trip to Washington.

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3. Brazil

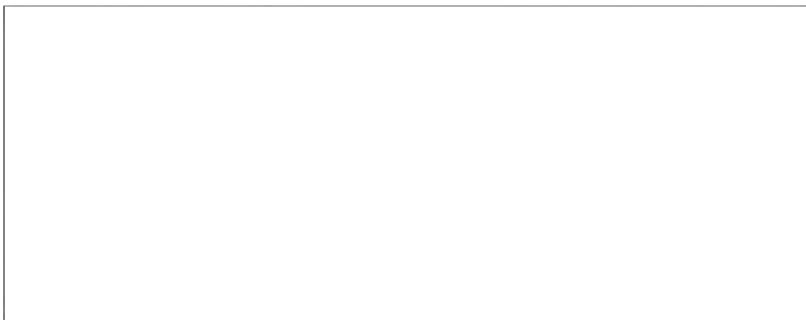
The Brazilian Air Minister says his government is moving ahead with the deal with France for 20 Mirage jet fighters.

4. Rumania



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5. Yemen



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6. France

Ambassador Bohlen understands that at least the initial drafts of the speeches De Gaulle will give in Canada contain no anti-American material. Although De Gaulle has a total of five days aboard ship to put in his own touches, the consensus in Paris is that the speeches will cause more pain in Ottawa than in Washington.

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